## Amendment No. 1 to SB0827

## <u>Harper</u> Signature of Sponsor

AMEND Senate	Bill No.	0827
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House Bill No. 1202

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by deleting all language after the enacting clause and by substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 40-33-211(c)(2), is amended by deleting the last sentence of that subsection and by substituting instead the following:

The alcohol and drug addiction treatment fund shall be administered pursuant to public necessity rules promulgated by the department of health which shall establish criteria for application of the funds. Those rules shall include application of a portion of the funds up to a total of two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000.00), and any grants, gifts, contributions, or other appropriations made to supplement the funds for services related to compulsive gambling disorder, to provide prevention, early intervention, assessment/referral, and evaluation services related to compulsive gambling disorder which shall include all of the following:

- (A) Establishment of an Information and Referral Hotline to provide public education regarding compulsive gambling and to make treatment referrals; and
- (B) Coordination of activities, services and gathering data on the prevalence of problems regarding compulsive gambling; and
- (C) Training of personnel in the prevention of gambling disorders and in the screening and assessment of these disorders; and
- (D) That assessment services will be made available through local community agencies; and
- (E) That development and maintenance of treatment services will be provided only to the extent to that funds exist to do so and still accomplish the goals intended by creation of the "Alcohol and drug treatment addiction fund";

AND FURTHER AMEND by deleting the effective date section and by substituting instead the following:

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming law, the public welfare requiring it.